

Yosemite PSAR/Wildlife Technician Application

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Each spring the Valley Ranger District selects motivated persons to volunteer in the Little Yosemite Valley (LYV) patrol area. Submitting this application by the end of March will allow us to consider you for a VIP (Volunteers In Parks) position. Volunteers are required to work 32 hours a week and will be scheduled with a lot of flexibility. Other volunteer opportunities may be available with less time commitment for special projects and support roles. Specific training for this position will be provided as well as there are many other opportunities for training throughout the season. Volunteers may be paid for working on larger incidents provided the 32 hour per week requirement is met. Volunteers are covered by Workers Compensation for injuries received during training, scheduled assignments, and emergency work.

To apply you may do any of the following:

1. Use the Adobe PDF version of this document:
 - a. Download and print the PDF document.
 - b. Complete it by hand using additional blank paper as needed.
 - c. Sign and mail the application to the following address:
 LYV PSAR Application
 Valley District Office/Ed Visnovske
 PO Box 577
 Yosemite, CA 95389
 - d. Or fax the signed application to 209-372-0404
2. Use the Microsoft Word version of this document:
 - a. Download the Word document.
 - b. Complete it using Microsoft Word.
 - c. Sign and mail the application to the address above:
 - d. Or fax the signed application to 209-372-0404

Direct inquiries regarding Little Yosemite Valley and the Yosemite Valley SAR Program to: Ed.Visnovske@nps.gov
 Drug use policy: Volunteers must be free of illegal drug use and alcohol abuse. All Volunteers may be subject to a limited background check.

Dates Available		Application for	
From (MM/DD/YYYY) / /	To (MM/DD/YYYY) / /	Location / Position (Rank all that apply in order of preference) <input type="checkbox"/> Little Yosemite Valley (Backcountry, Full season w/housing) <input type="checkbox"/> Little Yosemite Valley (Backcountry, Part season) <input type="checkbox"/> Little Yosemite Valley (Project work only) <input type="checkbox"/> Other Volunteer Positions in Yosemite	

Identification			
Name (First, Middle, Last):		Date of Birth (MM/DD/YYYY) / /	Country of Citizenship
		Work Permit if non US Citizen <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Local Address (If applicable)			
Local Employment (If applicable)		Supervisor	Supervisor's Phone Number
Permanent Address			
Home Phone	Local Work Phone	Cell Phone	Email

Driver and Vehicle Information			
Driver's License Number	Driver's License State	Vehicle License Plate Number	Vehicle License Plate State
Vehicle Make	Vehicle Year	Vehicle Model	Vehicle Color

Emergency Contact Information	
Name	Relationship
Phone	Email
Address	

Signature _____ Date _____

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Hiking/Backpacking Skills			
Total Years as Active Hiker	Years hiking In Yosemite	Years of Backcountry Camping	
Significant Trips in Yosemite (Identify areas of the park, how many nights out, terrain traveled).			
Significant Trips Outside of Yosemite			
Describe your knowledge of the "Leave No Trace" wilderness camping method/ethic.			
Wildlife Management Skills			
List past experience or education with wildlife management techniques			
Describe your knowledge and experience with camping/hiking in bear country.			
Emergency Medical Skills Level of Practice (First Responder, EMT-B, Paramedic, Nurse, Doctor, ...) / Experience			
Public Relations Training / Experience (Trip leader, public speaking, teaching)			
Search and Rescue Training / Experience			
Map, Compass, GPS Skills Training/Experience			
Education			
College or University	Degree Earned or Working Towards		Year
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Previous Employment			
Company Name	Company Address		
Position	Dates Employed		
Supervisor	Supervisor Phone Number		
Reason for Leaving			
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References with telephone number			
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Why do you want to work and/or live in Little Yosemite Valley for the summer?			
Any additional information you wish to provide?			

Signature _____ Date _____